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City in Hands of Mob

An infuriated mob of 1,200 people was parading the streets of Springfield, Ohio, last night and swearing vengeance upon Preston Ladd and Edward Dean, two negroes who Monday night wounded Martin M. Davis, a brakeman on the Big Four, and Earl Sulkins, a baseball player.

The mob formed on the public square, and when threats to lynch were made, Mayor Todd called upon Companies B and E, of the Third Regiment, Ohio National Guard, stationed in Springfield; but so far neither company has responded.

The mob started last night, just as it did two years ago, when Richard Dickerson, a negro murderer, was lynched.

The crowd marched to the "Jungles," the notorious negro settlement, and wrecked a saloon kept by a man named Kemptner. Later the mob set it on fire. Another dive across the street was fired, and as the flames set upward, the crowd yelled, "Burn all of them."

The old buildings were razed and the negroes fled. The police are at the mercy of the mob.

No attempt was made to enter the jail, as Dean, one of the negroes, was spirited away to Dayton early last night. The hospital where Ladd is lying injured is under a heavy guard.

A general alarm of fire was sent in and all the engines in the city were sent to the "Jungles." The fire spread as the mob cut the hose as fast as a stream of water was turned on the blaze. The mob continued its work of demolishing buildings. With clubs and stones the crowd chased all negroes out, and with long poles as battering rams it wrecked the buildings.

The entire police force was called out, but the mob grew hourly and could not be checked. Policemen offering resistance to the destruction were knocked down. When the mob learned that Ladd had been secretly removed to Dayton, the news seemed to make it all the more infuriated.

The streets in the "Jungles" were packed with people, all bent upon destruction. The flames licked up the dives and the shouts of the crowd rent the air.

When the mob entered Kemptner's saloon, Kemptner and his wife fled, leaving their three little children asleep in a room over the saloon. The building was riddled with bullets and stones, and it was only by the hardest efforts of police and firemen that a way was forced through the mob and the children rescued. After the pillaging of the saloon drunkenness was an added feature of the riot.

Sergt. Creager, who had charge of the squad of police, was hit on the head with a brick and seriously wounded. A request was sent out at 10 o'clock for the Xenia military company.

At midnight six houses, which had been fired by the mob, were burning fiercely, and the police had apparently lost control of the situation. Only six members of the local militia responded to the mayor's call, and the Xenia company, which was expected, had not arrived.

The police have made no arrests in connection with the rioting. There are reports, however, that the mob will assemble tonight and to guard against this nine more companies of militia are under arms. At 8 o'clock this morning all was quiet and there are no indications of further rioting at that time. Davis, the railroad brakeman, is still alive, but there are no hopes that he will pull through. The burned district comprises less than a city block, and the buildings were all cheap tenements.

Death of Supposed Murderer.

As was stated in the Gazette, Robert L. Traynham died on a train at Lynchburg yesterday while under arrest. He was charged with murdering his father, T. B. Traynham.

A piece of twine tied around a blood-stained copy of a Washington paper of February 14, found beside the body of ex-City Sergt. J. B. Traynham, who was murdered Sunday night a week ago at his rooms in Roanoke, furnishing the clew which the police followed up to the arrest of the murdered man's son.

The twine was of a peculiar kind, used only by one merchant in Roanoke, and the police discovered from him that he had sold a hatchet to Traynham's son a few days previous to the murder. It also was discovered that the son carried the hatchet concealed in his overcoat Saturday and Sunday previous to the murder.

While he was en route to Lynchburg young Traynham scarcely spoke except to beg for water, several draughts of which he ravenously drank during the fifty-mile ride. On the arrival of the train at Lynchburg, when ordered by the officers to get up, he exclaimed, "Oh, my knees," and began foaming at the mouth, and before he could be removed on a stretcher to the baggage-room he expired.

From the first suspicion pointed to the son. For the past two years his life has been anything but exemplary. Before that he held a position of importance in the railroad shops, but for forsook it for the more alluring card table. For eighteen months his wife had believed him to be connected with the shops, and he accounted for his absence by stating that he had to go out of the city for the Norfolk and Western. It also was known that he was in financial trouble.

Traynham played cards Sunday night up to 8 o'clock, but nothing in regard to his movements could be found after that hour, and when interviewed by Chief Dyer he could not account for the time after that. It was noticed that he had a scratch on his face, and slight cuts on his hands. Those with whom he played cards on Saturday say he had no scratch on his face and there were no cuts on his hands.

So far as known, he made no confession of guilt, but the post-mortem showed that his body was covered with bruises of a severe nature and about one week old.

An autopsy was performed yesterday upon the body of Traynham by Dr. George J. Tompkins, assisted by the coroner, Dr. R. M. Taliaferro. At noon a coroner's inquest was held, and Dr. Tompkins testified that the heart showed conditions of weakness which might cause death under great excitement.

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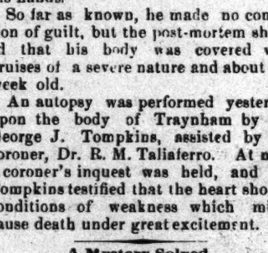

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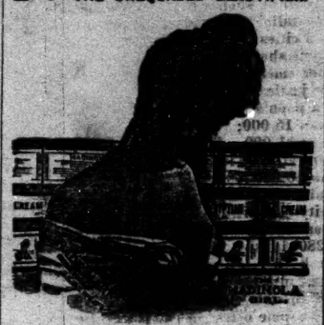

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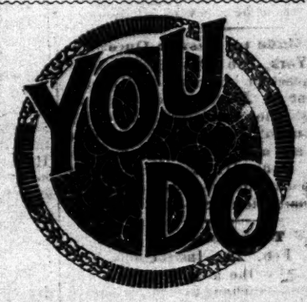

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DESPITE official disclaimers of any fear that troubles in China may lead to war, a remarkable statement by the President yesterday through the Secretary of War leads to a feeling that this country as well as some European nations are preparing for a conflict. Under rush orders the battleship Ohio, flagship of the American fleet in the far East, has left Manila for Hongkong to be docked and repaired so as to be ready for emergency service. The American troops in Manila are being prepared every day for quick movement and the army stores in that city are ready for transportation whenever called for. So pacific are the reports from reliable sources in China that it is now even said that the much discussed boycott against American goods has been greatly exaggerated, but it seems that certain people in this country are dead bent in getting into a war with China.

THE latest programme of Arctic explorations, whose sponsor, Captain Mikklesen, a Danish subject, explained his purpose in a personal interview with President Roosevelt last week, does not include the purpose of discovering the north pole. Its principal object will be to locate and possess for the United States what is believed to be an enormous archipelago somewhere between the Parry Island and Wrangel Land. Captain Mikklesen evidently has observed the land grabbing propensity of the average American citizen and would have them seize the enormous archipelago if it could be found, but what use could be made of it is not stated.

IN disregard of apprehensions that the proposed canal would divert the waters of the Great Lakes and leave Niagara as dry as Sahara, the House has passed Mr. Dalzell's bill to charter the Lake Erie and Ohio River Navigation Company. The capital is $60,000,000. Congress is not asked to provide that, but it is not explained why a national charter rather than a State one should be desired. As to Niagara, there is a great deal of water in the Great Lakes.

THE FREQUENT deaths reported as resulting from eating colored candies indicate that the confectionary shop is not so successful in its mixtures as the scientist who recently gave a "synthetic dinner." The brighter the colors of candy the more attractive it is to children, and also, as a rule, the deadlier it is. Pure food legislation is yet a long way behind food adulteration, but there are pleasing indications that it may catch up.

THE City Council meets and adjourns with bi-monthly regularity, but no steps are taken looking to the betterment of the electric lighting of the city or toward furnishing the citizens with electric power for manufactories, &c. In the meantime the city's plant is deteriorating rapidly and may not remain serviceable until a new plant is erected, unless that be done soon. It certainly is time that somebody was doing something in this matter.

THE constant increase in the ratio of the insane to the general population, as shown by statistics of the New York State Commission in Lunacy, is a feature of the seventeenth annual report of the commission just made public. The same condition of affairs, it is learned, exists in nearly every State in the union, and there appears to be no remedy for this appalling misfortune.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Feb. 28.

Mr. Thomas Burroughs was today appointed postmaster at Alexandria, Va., over a number of other applicants.

The record in the court-martial of Hugh Kirkman, first lieutenant, Eighth cavalry, who was tried recently at Manila, P. I., on charges of embezzling company funds, forgery and making a false statement, has arrived at the war department, and will shortly be submitted to Secretary Taft and the President. It is understood that Kirkman has been sentenced to dismissal from the army and possibly graver punishment. Additional interest attaches to the conviction of Lieut. Kirkman in view of the conviction of his brother, Capt. Geo. W. Kirkman, formerly of the Twenty-fifth infantry, who was tried under sensational circumstances last year at Fort Niobrara, Neb., the wife of one of his brother officers committing suicide as a result of the case. George W. Kirkman is now serving a three year term at Fort Leavenworth, Kas.

Cable dispatches have been received at the Chinese legation here from the viceroy of Kwangtung, the province where the boycott has been most successful and bordering the province of Kiangsi, where the foreign missionaries were killed, stating that there has been no uprising in his jurisdiction. As the anti-American feeling has been strongest here it was feared the trouble in Kiangsi would spread quickly to Kwangtung. The dispatch says that no meeting of the boycotters has been held of late and that the authorities have complete control of the situation. The trouble in Kiangsi is pronounced to have been merely local.

President Roosevelt discussed the railroad rate problem with a number of callers this morning. Samuel H. Cowan, a prominent attorney of Fort Worth, Texas, with whom the President talked for nearly an hour, is of the opinion that a court review amendment to the Hepburn bill is not needed. "The constitution gives the railroads all the rights they need," said Mr. Cowan. They are amply protected and the Hepburn bill will deprive them of no safeguards.

Twenty-one representatives of railroad and other employer interests, and three labor leaders, headed by President Gompers, of the A. F. of L., appeared before the House committee on the judiciary this morning to discuss pro and con the anti-injunction and employers' liability bills pending before the committee.

The Senate committee on foreign relations today ordered a favorable report on the Santo Domingo treaty.

The examination of Attorney William Nelson Cromwell was resumed this morning before the Senate canal committee by Senator Morgan, who asked a number of questions about the alleged power of attorney from the French Panama Canal Company for the Americanization of the canal, a copy of which the Senator produced yesterday. Mr. Cromwell refused to answer because it involved his professional relations and he maintained this attitude through a torrent of questions. Finally Senator Morgan said: "Your case of lockjaw is getting worse; its most extraordinary. You are not shutting out any information by this pertinacity." "Then why did you ask the witness these questions?" asked Senator Kittredge. "Because I am trying to see whether this witness will tell the truth on any question I ask him, if the Senator wants to know," replied Morgan angrily.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw and Assistant Secretary of the Navy Newberry were heard today by the House committee on industrial arts and expositions, on their measure providing for government aid or and participation in the Jamestown Exposition.

Secretary Shaw stated that the country had had enough of industrial expositions, but as the United States cannot afford to have a failure of the exposition owing to its international character, he advised that the exposition be made purely a maritime one. He condemned the proposed coinage of souvenir silver dollars to be sold for two dollars by the exposition company, saying that the currency must not be toyed with. Assistant Secretary Newberry told the part that the navies of the world will have in the naval display to be held in Hampton Roads.

News of the Day.

The historic Church of San Pablo, in Barcelona, Spain, has been destroyed by an incendiary.

President Roosevelt, in general orders, commends to the army and navy Admiral Togo's farewell address to his fleet.

A waterspout descended upon Nahanoro, Island of Madagascar, February 21, entirely destroying the village and drowning many persons.

During a fire panic among 500 employes of the Star Shirt Factory, at Bridgeport, Ct., yesterday, Mr. Jennie Heaffy, a spectator, died from excitement.

Arthur J. Balfour, the former premier, was yesterday elected to the House of Commons for the city of London by a majority of 11,340 over his liberal-free trade opponent, Thomas Gibson Bowles.

Dr. Garbiras-Guzman, the new charge d'affaires of the Venezuelan Legation, arrived in Washington last night. Senor Veloz-Goiticoa, who has acted in that capacity for the last year, will be transferred to another post.

Chairman Prouty, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, declared in an address in Boston yesterday that railroad rebates were the foundation of the Standard Oil Company, and that Rockefeller perpetuated his advantages by investments in stragetic railroads.

William F. Collins, of Petersburg, Va., a student at Union College, at Schenectady, N. Y., in attempting to escape from a room in which students had locked him, fell three stories to a pavement. He suffered a broken arm and severe injuries to his spine, but will probably recover.

Virginia News.

Mrs. George Gould, of New York, was in Fredericksburg yesterday, looking at several estates, with the view, it is said, of purchasing a country home.

At noon yesterday, at the home of the bride's mother, in Leesburg, Miss Fannie Dawson was married to Mr. William A. Metzger, son of Dr. George F. Metzger, of Leesburg.

Mrs. Ruth Bennett, widow of E. L. Bennett, a former clerk of the Circuit Court of Loudoun county, died at her home, in Leesburg, Monday, from pneumonia. The deceased was a Miss Carruthers.

Gov. Swanson entertained members of the legislature in the executive mansion yesterday evening. Members of both branches of the legislature were invited to be present in order to meet Lieut. Gov. Ellyson, in whose honor the dinner was given.

Robert Preston died suddenly at his home, in Leesburg, Monday night at 1 o'clock, of heart disease, aged 54 years. He is survived by his wife (who was Miss Harriet Aldridge, of Loudoun, one son and two daughters. Mr. Preston was a prominent official of the Peoples' National Bank of Leesburg.

Dr. J. S. DeJarnette was elected superintendent of Western State Hospital by the hospital board meeting in Richmond yesterday. He has been assistant physician at that hospital for fifteen years and succeeds as superintendent Benjamin Blackford, deceased. Dr. W. F. Drewry declined the appointment.

The large dairy barn of Frank R. Horner, of Washington, situated in Culpeper county, was burned early Saturday night, involving a loss of $15,000. Forty-eight cows and seventeen horses and mules perished in the flames. Large quantities of grain and farm machinery were destroyed. The cause of the fire is not known. Most of the employes were away at the time of the fire.

In the second day's session of the corporation commission legislative inquiry in Richmond yesterday afternoon Maj. A. S. Lanier, the discharged clerk, completed his testimony, and Norvell Atkinson and A. J. Newby, another of the discharged clerks testified. Irving Campbell, former law partner of Lanier, and associated with Lanier in the Virginia Corporation Company, was the last to take the stand. He contradicted Chief Clerk Upshur flatly in several particulars.

Today's Telegraphic News

Williams Bill Passed by House.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Feb. 28.—The Williams bill re-enacting the Wharton insurance law was passed by the House today by a vote of sixty-five to twenty-three.

The Coal Situation.

New York, Feb. 28.—While the anthracite coal situation is today apparently quiescent, and proceedings looking to an adjustment of differences between the hard coal operators and miners are seemingly at a standstill, the representatives of the miners and the operators are preparing to make concessions that will preserve harmony and peace in the anthracite field.

President Mitchell this morning announced that the miners demand on the anthracite operators, which he characterized as "propositions," had been mailed to President Baer, of the Philadelphia Railroad Company, last night, and are probably in Mr. Baer's hands this morning. It is likely that after Mr. Baer has read the demands, he will call a meeting of the operators at which they will be discussed. Miners, Mr. Mitchell said, are now awaiting the reply from the operators.

Pittsburg, Feb. 28.—The coal operators of the interstate field will hold joint conference with the miners on March 19.

Six Buildings Destroyed.

Mahanoy City, Pa., Feb. 28.—But for the effective work of the fire companies from Pottsville and St. Clara, the mining town of Cumbols, five miles east of Pottsville, would have been reduced to ashes late last night by a fire which originated in the stable of a hotel owned by Wm. Tracht who sustained a loss of $10,000. Two guests who had gone to bed shortly before the flames were discovered, were rescued with difficulty. The town which has a population of about 1,800 is wooden in construction and is without a fire department. Zero weather prevailed and a strong wind from the southeast fanned the blaze into billows of flames. Many of the villagers took to the hills, after they had carried out their furniture. Dynamite was employed to arrest the progress of the flames when the fire companies arrived. The firemen attacked the flames with chemicals engines, and streams of water and succeded so well that within an hour they had the fire under control. About six buildings were destroyed entailing a loss of about $25,000.

Religious Riots.

Paris, Feb. 28.—Religious riots occurred in Mazamte, southern France, today. The authorities were making an inventory of the property in the famous church of St. Vau St Sauveur, when hundreds of the villagers gathered and tried to prevent it. Eight hundred soldiers had to be called out to subdue the Catholics who had attacked the authorities with stones. The soldiers charged with drawn sabres and wounded many of the rioters before they would disperse.

Russia's New Navy.

Birmingham, Feb. 28.—The Post today says it learns authoritatively from St. Petersburg that the programme for the Russian government's new navy has been settled upon, and that it will shortly be issued. The sum of $100,000,000 will be provided for war ships, and devoted to the construction of fast cruisers and destroyers which will probably be built in yards in Great Britain.

Killed by Wife's Coffin.

New York, Feb. 28.—Thomas Fennan, of 156 Ninth street, Brooklyn, while sitting by the coffin of his dead wife, a bride of three months, was shot and killed by Thomas Beltman, the brother of the dead woman. Beltman then killed himself. No reason is known for the tragedy, but it is thought Beltman became crazed by the death of his sister, of whom he was very fond.

Will be Made to Answer Questions.

New York, Feb. 28.—Henry Wollman, counsel for the State of Missouri, today sent to Justice Gildersleeve an affidavit showing the decision of the Supreme Court of Missouri in the Standard Oil case, and also an order for signature directing Henry H. Rogers to answer the questions which he refused to answer before Commissioner Sanborn.

To to Punished.

Pekin, Feb. 28.—Instructions have been sent by the government to the Governor of Nanchang to severely punish all participants in the massacre on February 25, when six French Jesuit missionaries and four British subjects were killed. The government has announced its willingness to make any reasonable reparation demanded for the outrages.

Reported Dead.

London, Feb. 28.—A dispatch to a news agency frow Hongkong, says that the Dowager Empress of China is dead. The report is probably exaggerated version of the rumors of trouble at the palace.

Accident to Royal Bridal Couple.

Berlin, Feb. 28.—Prince Eitel Friz, the second son of the Kaiser, who was married yesterday to the Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg, met with an accident at the very outset of the honeymoon trip. The automobile carrying the prince and princess from the railway to the hunting lodge at Huberstock, where the couple intended to sojourn for a period, collided with a heavily laden wagon. The shock overturned and smashed the motor car, but the prince and his wife escaped serious injury. They received a severe shaking up and were cut by splinters and glass.

Crew Rescued.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 28.—The schooner reported ashore at Cape Henry last night is the four-masted George M. Grant, bound from Brunswick, Ga., for Perth Amboy, N. J., loaded with lumber. The sea was too rough for the life savers to take the crew off, but all hands were this morning rescued by the tug Jack Twoby and brought to Norfolk. The schooner is settling fast in the sand and her decks are awash. The deck load of lumber, however, is still intact.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 28.—Prices have almost steadily declined from the opening under the influence largely of the same factors which operated adversely yesterday. Persistent rumors that the execution of the Great Northern ore deal was indefinitely postponed were interpreted unfavorably. Liquidation was more extensive.

The heaviest snow storm of the winter was raging off the Virginia coast last night, and while the wind was off shore, the danger to shipping was great

An unknown four-masted schooner was driven ashore one mile off Cape Henry late yesterday afternoon.

THE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

Senatar Wickham, chairman of the finance committee, reported the general appropriation bill yesterday to provide for the current expenses of the State for two years. The bill, which has already passed the House, was made the special and continuing order for noon today.

The Senate committee on general laws reported favorably the bill of Senator Thomas, introduced at the instance of the Anti-Saloon League, requiring the closing of all places that sell liquor from midnight until 5 in the morning. It applies to social clubs as well.

An adverse report on the amendments to the Mann bill was made by the committee on finance, at least to some of them. The bill came back from the committee much changed and with recommendation as to clauses remaining. Judge Mann, the author of the amendments to his original bill, will have a big fight on his hands to get the bill through in the face of the committee changes, but should only those amendments left undisturbed by the committee be adopted, the Mann law will have been considerably straightened in some directions.

The principal amendments retained in the biil are those increasing the license saloons and imposing a jail penalty for violations of the law. The item placing distilleries in the jurisdiction of towns was stricken out, and the provision regulating social clubs was referred to a special committee for further consideration.

The cider bills proposed by Judge Mann was favorably reported yesterday and are now on the calendar.

The Senate bill providing for the redistricting of the judicial circuits so as to increase the number to 29 came from the committee on Courts of Justice with these changes:

Eighth Judicial Circuit—Albemarle, Greene and Madison; Hon. John M. White, judge. Ninth Judicial Circuit—Culpeper, Orange, Louisa and Goochland; Hon. Daniel A. Grimsley, judge. Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit—Rappahannock, Fauquier and Loudoun; judge to be elected. Twenty-sixth—Rockingham and Page; judge to be elected. Twenty-seventh—Buchanan, Russell and Scott; judge to be elected. Twenty-eighth—Isle of Wight, Princess Anne and Portsmouth city; judge to be elected. Twenty-ninth—Amherst, Nelson, Buckingham and Fluvanna; judge to be elected.

The Senate passed to engrossment a large number of bills and at its afternoon session only uncontested matters were considered.

The voting trust bill, which amends the present law, to provide a five-year limit, in which such trusts may be operated, was yesterday recommitted to the committee on courts of justice.

HOUSE.

The House met at 11 o'clock, according to the new schedule, and went at once into an exciting discussion over a motion to take the judicial redistricting bill up out of its order. There was intense opposition, and a dozen members were on their feet at once, all shouting at the top of their voices to attract the attention of the Speaker. The Speaker called on the sergeant-at-arms to restore order, and when quiet again reigned the motion was withdrawn.

The greater part of the session was devoted to debate on the amendments to Senate bills.

It was late in the day when the House bill designed to prevent fire insurance companies and their agents from entering into agreements or combinations to make and control rates for fire insurance was reached. The bill came up under a special order. It was reported from the committee on general laws, with the recommendation that it do not pass. Mr. Williams, patron of the measure, made a strong appeal for its passage. Cries of "Vote, vote" were ringing through the House when the hour for adjournment arrived. The Speaker laughingly pointed to the face of the clock behind his chair and declared the House adjourned.

Col. A. M. Bowman, of the House finance committe, reported a supplemental bill making appropriations for the next two years. The measure carries a total sum of $415,000 in appropriations. The largest item is an appropriation of $,00,000 for State buildings at the Jamestown Exposition in 1907. The next heaviest is $8,500 to to the University of Virginia. Some $20,000 is appropriated for the purpose of beautifying the grounds of the Capitol.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, yesterday presented the credentials of his colleague, Senator Martin, for the senatorial term beginning on the 4th of March, 1907.

Senator Lodge introduced an amendment to the railroad rate law providing for the displacement of the present Interstate Commerce Commission by a new commission of the members.

After a lively squabble, the Senate decided to take a final vote on the Statehood bill Friday afternoon, March 9, beginning at 4 o'clock.

The bill for abolishing the tribal relations of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians and winding up their affairs was further debated, Mr. Aldrich presenting a joint resolution to extend the present tribal relations until March 4, 1907, pending the settlement of the coal-land dispute.

Today at the expiration of the morning hour Mr. Foraker began his speech against the railroad bill.

The House elimated the provision in the army appropriation bill eliminating the rank of lieutenant general.

The House committee on agriculture decided by a vote of 8 to 7 not to recommend any appropriations to buy seeds for free distribution by the Department of Agriculture. This means a saving of about $250,000 annually.

Political Murders in Russia.

Warsaw, Poland, Feb. 20.—Owing to the frequency of political murders, the government has ordered the organization of a Warsaw corps of mounted police. The officers will be armed with rifles. The secret police have arrested several members of the revolutionary fighting committee, who are alleged to have been accomplices in the recent murder of M. Ivanhoff.

Socialists at Lodz attacked and robbed the government alcohol stores. At Sosnowice a police sergeant was assassinated and two policemen were wounded by revolutionists.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer.

Fewer gallons; takes less of Devoe Lead and Zinc than mixed paints. Wears longer; twice as long as lead and oil.

City Council.

The City Council acted upon several measures of public interest last night, as well as upon a number of papers of a routine nature.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

All the Aldermen were present, and after the minutes of the preceding meeting had been read,

Mr. Simpson called the attention of the board to an act which had been passed by the House of Delegates of Virginia amending the present law providing for the appointment by judges of courts of police justices. There are two important amendments to the old law, one empowering judges of corporation or hustings courts to appoint police justices at their discretion, or whenever they may think such a course advisable, notwithstanding the fact that the charters of certain cities provided that the mayors of the same shall preside in police courts. The other amendment places the salary of police justices at $720 a year in cities having a population of 10,000 and not more than 15,000; over 15,000 the salary is fixed at $1,000. The old law fixed the salary at $720 in cities having not less than 10,000 nor more than 20,000. These salaries, the speaker said, were paid out of city treasuries and there was no good reason to cause Alexandria to expend $280 in this direction. He did not think the act amending the law originated in this part of the State, however; he thought it came from Portsmouth, or some place in that vicinity. He submitted a resolution requesting Senator Machen and Delegate Caton to endeavor to have the act defeated.

Mr. Hill did not think $1,000 a year too much for the service rendered, but thought the position could be abolished altogether. He supposed it was too late now for Council to take action, as no bills could be introduced at present in the legislature.

The resolution was finally passed by a unanimous vote.

Mr. Ballenger asked for information concerning a resolution he introduced some time ago appropriating $500 to secure the services of an electrical engineer to report a plan whereby the city could furnish electricity to the people of the city. It had been referred to the committee on light, but no report had been made upon it.

Mr. W. H. Sweeney said the members of the committee had talked over the matter, but they had not as yet been called together in order that it might be formally considered. It would, however, be taken up.

The ordinance providing certain regulations for the display of goods on King street and eliminating sign, awning and other posts on that street and limiting the space to be occupied by swinging signs to three feet, was received from the Common Council.

Mr. Hill said he was in favor of allowing six feet instead of three and gave his reasons therefor.

Mr. Burke called attention to the fact that people had been injured by swinging signs which had been blown down during storms, the reason assigned being that they extended too far across the pavement.

Mr. W. H. Sweeney suggested that the ordinance be allowed to lie over until next meeting.

President Sweeney thought this would be the proper course, and the members would then have time to consider the matter.

Mr. Simpson favored the ordinance and showed why present conditions were unsatisfactory. The projection of swinging signs half way across the pavements increased the danger from the same not only during high winds, but from imperfect construction or ordinary wear and tear.

President Sweeney said signs extending but three feet would be unsightly.

Mr. Simpson—"Six feet would extend over half the pavement."

Mr. Ballenger called attention to the fact that the Common Council had erased certain words which he believed should have been retained in the ordinance. He referred to the clause forbidding the placing of fish and chickens on pavements. He gave notice that he would move that these words be replaced when the ordinance came up in the Aldermen.

On motion of Mr. Hill the ordinance was laid over.

A number of measures providing for street improvements coming in from the lower board,

Mr. Ballenger asked where the money was to come from to defray the cost. He said when street improvements were to be made the cost was never considered, but there seemed to be no money available for electricity. He hoped the committees while devising ways and means for one would consider the other.

The board adjourned about nine o'clock.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The board was called to order shortly after the hour fixed for opening.

The finance committee reported an ordinance to place delinquent tax bills in the hands of the Corporation Attorney for collection, which was unanimously agreed to.

The street committee reported an order appropriating $500 for a sewer on Lee street between King and Prince, the money to be available when the owners of three-fourths of the property on that square shall have deposited sufficient money with the city treasurer to justify the paving of the square with vitrified brick.

Mr. Pollard and others made inquiries as to the matter.

Mr. Leadbeater explained that the sewer would not be laid until all arrangements were completed for putting a vitrified brick pavement on the street.

The ordinance was agreed to.

An ordinance to grade and pave with vitrified brick Lee street between King and Prince street was reported by the street committee.

Mr. Strauss said that that work was much needed and on his motion the ordinance was passed.

An appropriation of $400 for a terra cotta sewer on St. Asaph street to within a hundred feet of Cameron street was reported.

Mr. Uhler asked why the resolution did not recite the conditions under which the sewer would be built.

Mr. Leadbeater explained that all sewers are built under a general law, and property owners who tap sewers understand that they are to pay a certain amount per front foot for the service. The appropriation was made by a unanimous vote.

Do not be deceived by counterfeits when you buy Witch Hazel Salve. The name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. is on every box of the genuine. Best for Cuts, Burns, Boils, Tetter, Piles, etc.

An ordinance providing for preventing obstructions to the sidewalks on King street introduced in 1905 was again reported. The ordinance, as reported, provided that all awning posts shall be removed from King street, and that all overhead signs shall be at least eight feet from the sidewalk and extend not more than three feet from the established building line.

Mr. Marshall moved to recommit the ordinance and he hoped it would stay in the committee. He was opposed to allowing fine large plate glass windows being blocked by signs, &c., next door.

Mr. Leadbeater urged that there was need of such an ordinance, otherwise the obstruction which this ordinance limits to three feet might extend to eight feet or more.

Mr. Marshall, Mr. Hellmuth and Mr. Spinks opposed the ordinance.

Mr. Burke explained the reasons which induced the committee to report the ordinance.

The motion to recommit was lost.

Mr. Spinks moved an amendment prohibiting obstructions higher than three feet which was agreed to; as was also an amendment by Mr. Brill striking out the prohibition of displaying poultry, fish, &c., on the sidewalks.

Inquiry was made as to what time would be allowed in unloading goods.

The Chair—Any time considered reasonable by a reasonable policeman.

Mr. Hellmuth—A reasonable policeman! Where can you find one?

The ordinance was then unanimously agreed to, Mr. Marshall announcing that the amendments had satisfied him

A resolution appropriating $2,500 to macadamize Washington street north of Queen street was returned to Council. It had been referred to the City Engineer for estimates and a general plan of improving Washington street.

A report by the City Engineer on the subject was read. He proposes vitrified brick with paving &c., from Prince to Cameron street and the narrowing of the roadway and an improved macadamizing of the street north of Cameron and south of Duke street.

The matter was re-committed.

The street committee reported an appropriation of $1,600 for a stone crusher, engine, screen, &c.

Mr. Leadbeater said that this machine was now a public need. The City Engineer said it would save $1,000 on the King street work, and it would pay for itself even if never used; its moral effect on bidders would lessen the cost of work to the city. They now charged exhorbitantly for gravel &c.

Mr. Uhler said that 90 per cent of the cobble stone on the street was sand.

Mr. Leadbeater replied that the City Engineer had ascertained that only ten per cent was sand. The Engineer said that on the King street work alone $1,000 would be saved by using the crusher to crush the cobble stones on the ground for the work.

Mr. Uhler said some of the stones on the old street could not be crushed by a pile driver.

The resolution was agreed to—yeas 14, nays 0.

The public property committee reported adversely on the proposal to buy a patrol wagon, and the report was agreed to.

Council concurred with the Aldermen against the proposed increase in the number or pay of police justices in cities of over 15,000 inhabitants.

An order that the Corporation Attorney defend the suit of P. T. Harrington against the city for the killing of a horse which had fallen in a ditch, was introduced.

Mr. Leadbeater urged that some action be taken to prevent the misuse of Washington street by Mr. Harrington's stable, carriages, horses, &c.

The order was unanimously adopted.

An application from Mr. F. J. Davidson and others for the abatement of a nuisance by the flow of water through the square from Fairfax street to Royal street and between Prince and Duke streets, was referred to the street committee.

Mr. Hellmuth, from the public property committee, asked the instruction of Council relative to the renting of the fish wharf. He said that no fair bid had been made, and that $350 would enable the city to lay a board walk, employ a collector and carry on the wharf this year without renting it.

A resolution by Mr. Uhler authorizing the committee on public property to make repairs, employ a collector, &c., at the fish wharf, if they find the same best for the public interest, was unanimously adopted.

And the board adjourned.

Official.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Alderman of the city of Alexandria, Va., held February 27, 1906, there were present:

J. T. Sweeney, esq., President, and Messrs. Hill, Burke, Marbury, Ballenger, Simpson, Curtin and W. H. Sweeney.

Mr. Simpson introduced the following, which was adopted by a unanimous vote:

Whereas House bill number 97 amending and re-enacting sections 1 and 3 of an act providing for the appointment of police justices in cities of a population of ten thousand and over has been introduced into our State Legislature and whereas said bill may compel an additional burden upon our taxpayers and treasury of this city,

Resolved, That State Senator Machen and Delegate Caton be and are hereby requested to exert their influence and efforts to prevent said bill becoming a law.

An ordinance to grade, curb and pave Lee street from King to Prince with vitrified brick was received from the Common Council, read the second time and laid over.

A report of the Committee on Streets recommending an appropriation of $1,600 for the purchase of a stone crusher was received from the Common Council and laid over.

"An ordinance to provide against obstructions over the sidewalks and to prevent the obstruction of sidewalks in the city of Alexandria and to provide penalties for the violation thereof, was received from the Common Council and laid over.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in by unanimous votes:

An ordinance to provide for the collection of certain delinquent taxes in the city of Alexandria.

Resolution appropriating $400 for a sewer on St. Asaph street, between King and Cameron.

A petition of J. A. Cogan and others in reference to sewers.

Resolution appropriating $500 for a sewer on Lee street, between King and Prince.

Resolution in reference to the fish wharf property.

Resolution directing the Corporation Attorney to defend the suit of Peter T. Harrington vs. the city of Alexandria.

Communication concerning the Lewis fire escape.

Resolution looking to the purchase of a patrol wagon.

Report of E. C. Dunn, City Engineer, in reference to Washington street improvements.

Petition of Mary V. Nalls for permission to make addition to her house, No. 911 Duke street.

The board then adjourned.

J. T. SWEENEY, President.

Teste: LUTHER H. THOMPSON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held February 27, 1906, there were present: Hubert Snowden, esq., President, and Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Strauss, Baader, Brill, Cochran, Pollard, Hellmuth, Uhler, Marshall, Spinks and Bryan.

A resolution appropriating $560 for a sewer on Lee street, between King and Prince streets, was recommended by the Committee on Streets to be available when three-fourths of the property owners deposit the sum required before the street is paved, and the report was adopted, ayes 13, noes 0.

An ordinance to grade, curb and pave Lee street, between King and Prince streets, was recommended by the joint Committees on Streets and Finance and read the second and third times and passed, ayes 13, noes 0.

An ordinance to provide against obstructions over the sidewalks and to prevent the obstruction of sidewalks and providing penalties, was recommended by the joint Committee on Streets and General Laws. Upon motion of Messrs. Spinks and Brill section 3 was amended, and the ordinance as amended was read the second and third times and passed, ayes 14 noes 0.

The joint Committee on Streets and Finance recommended an appropriation of $1,600 to purchase a stone crushing plant, after due advertisement, and the report was adopted, ayes 14, noes 0.

An ordinance to provide for the collection of certain delinquent taxes in the city of Alexandria was recommended by the Committee on Finance, and read the second and third times and passed, ayes 13, noes 0.

A resolution appropriating $400 for a sewer on St. Asaph street, between King and Cameron, was recommended by the Committee on Streets and passed, ayes 14, noes 0.

A resolution instructing the Corporation Attorney to defend the suit filed against the city by P. T. Harrington, was adopted.

A resolution instructing the Committee on Public Property to repair the fish wharf and employ a suitable person to attend and collect rents and wharfage, if in their judgment they deem it advisable, was adopted.

The Committee on Public Property reported adversely on the application of the Lewis Patent Fire Escape Company and the report was adopted.

The joint Committee on Public Property and Finance reported adversely on the resolution to secure bids for a patrol wagon and the report was adopted.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the City Council, the City Engineer submitted suggestions and estimates for improving Washington street, which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

Permission was granted Mrs. M. V. Nalls to make frame improvements at 911 Duke street, providing there is no objection from adjoining property owners.

A petition from J. A. Cogan and others requesting relief from a nuisance on the east side of South Royal street, between Prince and Duke streets, was received and referred to the Committee on Streets.

A resolution instructing State Senator Machen and Delegate Caton to oppose House bill number ninty-seven (97), was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in.

The board then adjourned.

HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.

Teste: DANIEL B. STANSBURY, Clerk C. C.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies and by constant failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address:

F. J CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

DIED.

At his home, 207 Gibbon street, at 11:40 a. m., Tuesday, February 27, 1906, Captain F. L. DIXON, aged 69 years.

Oh, how we loved our father dear
No heart on earth can tell,
But Jesus loved him better
And took him home to dwell.
Affliction sore long time he bore
Physicians were in vain;
God thought it best that he should rest
And eased him of his pain.
How long he struggled with disease,
Which baffled skill and care,
And long he lingered racked with pain
And suffering hard to bear.

Funeral tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving, but sad remembrance of our little KATIE LEE POSEY, who died February 28, 1903—three years ago today. Gone but not forgotten.

BY HER FATHER AND MOTHER

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE.

$700---Balance
$25 Per Month.
For Sale.

Choice Residential Property

Three-story brick on south Pitt street, opposite St. Paul's Church; well constructed and well planned; eight rooms, large dining room, parlor, sitting room, pantry and kitchen on first floor. Concrete cellar, furnace heat, cabinet mantels, mirrors, etc. High grade of paper.

In fact, one of the best bargains in this section.

M. B. Harlow and Co.,
Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Brokers,
Harlow Building, 119 S. Fairfax St.
'PHONES:
Bell, 28 Capital City, 175.

NABOB PANCAKE FLOUR just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 28, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:34 a. m. and sets at 5:52 p. m. High water at 11:42 a. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, not so cold tonight and Thursday; temperature tonight about 23°; variable winds.

Mr. Burroughs Appointed Postmaster.

Mr. Thomas Burroughs was today appointed by the President Postmaster of this city. He will assume the duties on April 10. Mr. Burroughs has been an attache of the postoffice for over a third of a century, during which time he has proven himself to be eminently fitted for the positions he has held. His many friends will rejoice with him in his promotion.

It had been generally reported during the past few days that Mr. Lawrence Washington would be appointed to the position, and there were several other applicants, but people on the "inside" have from the first believed Mr. Burroughs would be appointed. He was endorsed by Mr. Park Agnew, the ex-chairman of the State republican committee.

The Cold Wave.

The weather last night was frigid. A high northwest wind prevailed which hurled clouds of snow through the streets. But few people exposed themselves to the fury of the elements. Heavy flaws of wind rattled window sash, swayed signs and in many instances caused apprehension. No serious damage, however, is reported. Some shingles were blown from roofs and a few bricks were displaced from chimneys. The mercury was gradually falling all the time, and at 7 o'clock this morning stood at 19°. The river today presented a bleak appearance. The flats opposite this city were covered with ice as far out as the channel banks, while the fierce northwest wind had caused an abnormally low tide, the water having been blown entirely out of some of the docks. The weather has been blustry and cold today.

Norfolk Steamer Sinks Schooner

The Norfolk and Washington steamer Washington ran down the three-masted schooner John A. Beckerman, Capt. Matthewson, of Boston, from Lamberts Point for New Providence, with 914 tons of coal on board, in Hampton Roads last night. The Beckerman was struck full astern. The steamer hove to alongside and rescued Capt. Matthewson and his crew of seven men. The Washington's stem was slightly bent, but the steamer proceeded after landing the shipwrecked sailors at Old Point Comfort. Capt. Matthewson said he had all the lights necessary burning at the time of the accident. He values his vessel at $8,000. A blizzard was raging at the time of the accident. The Washington reached this city between 8 and 9 o'clock this morning.

Prison for Hunter.

John P. Hunter, the former Washington theatrical manager, who plead guilty to bigamy and took three years when convicted in court at Norfolk by his Alexandria and Newport News wives, was sentenced by Judge Hanckle in Norfolk yesterday and will be carried at once to the penitentiary. The prisoner when asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed replied in the negative, but made the request of Judge Hanckle that the latter send a letter to the penitentiary authorities citing that Hunter has but one limb and cannot stand hard work with his wooden leg. Judge Hanckle agreed to send such a letter.

Change in Rural Route.

The Post-office Department has ordered the discontinuance of rural route No. 1, running out of Rosslyn, Alexandria county, and attaching this route to the Washington postoffice, to be operated at Station A, and to be known as rural route No. 4. All persons living at the following places should be addressed Rural Route No. 4, Washington, D. C.: Alexandria County Court House, Halls Hill, Truitts Coroners, Fort Ethan Allen, Wimsatts, Faulkners Corners, Cherrydale, Duglass, Holmes Corners and Pierces Corners. The route is twenty-five miles long and will be covered once daily, Sundays and holidays excepted.

Feed the Birds.

Policemen in Washington are devoting some of their spare time to feeding the birds of that city. During the present frigid weather food should be placed in convenient places for birds in all cities. This can easily be done by thoughtful housekeepers. Before the advent of the English sparrow birds occasionally pecked at windows in cities when driven from the woods by heavy snowfalls and blizzards. The sparrow has come to stay. There are thousands in Alexandria, and they only appeal for the crumbs from the table

Funerals.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Leatherland took place from the residence on north Henry street this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Jeffers.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Ruby Wallace took place this afternoon from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Nellie Richards, on south Royal street. Rev. Mr. Stump conducted the services. The pallbearers were Messrs. William Rammel, Jos. Monroe, Louis Breen, Allen Cogan, Geo. Bartlett and John Graham.

Ash Wednesday.

Today is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, and services in the several churches were held according to the announcements published in yesterday's Gazette. Society, in a measure, will go into retirement for the next forty days, during which time church going will be the order of the day. On account of the weather the attendance at the churches today was not so large as would have been under more favorable conditions.

W. C. T. U.

The regular business meeting of the Allison W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Children's Home, on Duke street.

The regular weekly prayer meeting will also be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the Children's Home, on Duke street.

Personal.

Miss Mildred Foster is a guest of Miss Flora Mason, in Fredericksburg.

Miss Emma Kohlberg, of San Francisco, Cal., formerly of Washington, is visiting the Misses Genzberger, on Wolfe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner L. Boothe have returned from their wedding trip to Florida.

The many friends of Mr. W. H. Greenwell will be pleased to know that he is rapidly convalescing from his recent serious indisposition.

At the grand reception and ball given by President and Mrs. Palma in Havana, Cuba, on the night of February 22, at which Mr. and Mrs. Longworth were guests, among those in attendance was Mr. J. E. Norris, formerly of this city.

Yesterday, the day before the beginning of Lent, brought to a close the social season and many functions were crowded into the day and evening. The Senior Whist Club met at Mrs. S. G. Brent's and the Junior Whist Club at the home of Miss Phil. Wattles. Miss Bena Stratton last night entertained a number of friends at a card party, as did Miss Belle Daingerfield in the afternoon. A number of other entertainments were also held.

Officer Stewart Jones, while on duty this morning, slipped on the ice and badly sprained his ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Leef returned yesterday from a visit to friends in Alexdria.—[Lynchburg Advance.

Mr. C. C. Carlin, an eminent young lawyer of Alexandria, was a visitor at the Capitol today. Mr. Carlin is a well known politician. He was heartily welcomed by his many friends.—[Richmond Journal.

Miss Sue E. Pierson has been elected by the executive committee matron at the Presbyterian Orphanage, in Lynchburg, and is expected to assume her duties tomorrow.

Mr. Leftwich W. Swain, formerly of this city, but now of New York, is in the city recuperating from a severe attack of typhoid fever, from which he has just recovered.

The Garside Stock Company.

The audience that greeted the J. S. Garside Stock Company at the Opera House last night to witness the production of "Thelma," a five-act drama of life in Norway, went away delighted at the clear interpretation of Marie Corelli's famous novel of that name. The play last night was undoubtedly the best that has been presented so far. J. S. Garside as Sir Philip Errington was an ideal hero, while George Warren as George Lorrimer was a friend seldom found. Ernest Bostwick as Olaf Guldmar, the Bondi, was all that could be asked of any one in a similar character, while Lillian Barouch as Bretta was excellent. The title role of Thelma was in the hands of Pauline Seymour, who is no stranger to Alexandria theatre-goers, who saw her with the Arnold Stock Company last season in "A Daughter of Satan." Miss Seymour in any role is indeed a treat, and her impersonation of the Norwegian princess last night was decidedly clever, full of pathos at times and then again of child-like simplicity. Miss Seymour's acting well deserved the commendation of the audience. The other characters were all well portrayed. The specialties were again of an enjoyable nature and were heartily applauded. "Thelma" is one of the strongest dramas that have been seen in this city, and, as a whole, was presented in a manner creditable to any company. Three prizes were given away last night, and will continue to be given away each night, the first prize being a handsome bowl of cut glass. Tonight the company will present "Resurrection," a play dramatized from the novel by Count Tolstoi. This play is full of good comedy and plenty of pathos and should be greeted by a large crowd. New specialties will be introduced.

Lost Jewelry Found.

A drummer for a Washington jewelry house yesterday left a box containing about three thousand dollars' worth of gems in the toilet room of Mr. C. H. Zimmerman's restaurant in Market alley. He did not discover his loss until he reached another section of the city, when he returned in haste to Mr. Zimmerman's house. He was overjoyed to find the box with all its contents where he had placed it.

Miss A. V. Sisson reported to Lieutenant Smith yesterday that a small silver watch had been stolen from her and told him whom she suspected. Later the officer recovered the watch, which was in the possession of a boy, and restored it to its owner.

Death of Captain Dixon.

Captain F. L. Dixon, who had for some time been critically ill at his home on Gibbon street, between Fairfax and Lee, died yesterday. The deceased was 69 years old. He leaves four children—a son and three daughters. Captain Dixon was a native of Westmoreland county, but took up his residence in Alexandria in early life. He was one of the most generally known watermen on the Potomac.

Royal Arch Masons.

An interesting meeting of Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, was held in the Masonic Temple last night. Members of Mount Horeb Chapter of Washington visited the local chapter. The Royal Arch degree was conferred during the evening, and a sumptuous collation was participated in after the meeting. Rammel Brothers were the caterers.

"Our Boys."

The dramatic club of the Episcopal High School, assisted by Miss Hoxton and Miss Micou, of Seminary Hill, presented the three-act comedy, "Our Boys," in Liggett Hall last night for the benefit of the E. H. S. Athletic Association. The play was well presented before a large audience and the entertainment was successful in every particular.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Catherine E. Washington qualified as guardian of her three infant children.

T. W. Robinson, A. Oehlert and T. A. Fisher were appointed appraisers of the estate of Thomas Spinks, deceased.

Bitten by a Mare.

Mr. James Bowling, who lives a short distance this side of Franconia, Fairfax county, had one of his hands terribly lacerated by a mare last Sunday. The animal had previously bitten a colt. Mr. Bowling attends the market in this city on Saturdays.

Perseverance Tent of Rechabites realized about $200 on the fair recently conducted by that organization.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Andrew Sullivan was yesterday elected driver of the Reliance hose wagon by the Board of Fire Wardens, in the place of Julian Ballenger, promoted to driver of engine.

There was but one case before the Police Court this morning, that of a stranger who gave his name as Charles Howard, who had been arrested as a suspicious character. He was dismissed.

The building adjoining Mr. R. E. Knight's store, on King street, near Washington, has been nearly removed. A new structure will be erected on the site which, with Mr. Knight's present store, will form a double building. The work is being done by Mr. Julian D. Knight.

The alarm of fire at 3:40 o'clock this evening was caused by the partial burning of the roof of a small house on Wilkes street, west of Henry.

Pat Dufley, who had disappeared from his home in Washington and who, it was thought, had been drowned, has turned up in Baltimore.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c. Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb26 tf

Nothing will relieve indigestion that is not a thorough digestant. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, and allows the stomach to rest—recuperate—grow strong again. A few doses of Kodol after meals will soon restore the stomach and digestive organs to a full performance of their functions naturally. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, Feb. 28.

SENATE

Mr. Foraker, of Ohio, took the floor shortly after noon, today, to present his reasons why the government should not enter into further governmental regulation of railways. He had an audience only limited by the capacity of the Senate. Most of the members of the Ohio delegation in the House occupied seats in the rear of the chamber. Secretary of War Taft was an interested listener. In the diplomatic gallery was the Chinese Minister and members of the Russian Embassy.

In a carefully prepared speech, which required some three hours in delivery, he argued against the policy of governmental rate making in general and the Hepburn bill in particular. He held that the latter was unconstitutional as well as impracticable, and predicted its speedy death in the Supreme Court of the United States if it should pass in the shape in which it had come from the House. He admitted that there were evils to be remedied, but this could be accomplished by merely amending the present Elkins law so as to make its provisions cover the matter of excessive rates, and by making it specifically applicable to every kind of rebates and discriminations.

The peculiar position occupied by the Senator, he being the only member of the body who has placed himself on record in pronounced opposition to any regulation, made his remarks of unusual importance.

The Senator read from manuscript. He was frequently interrupted. His views were given the closest attention.

Mr. Gallinger introduced a bill fixing the salary of the President at $75,000; Vice President, $15,000; Speaker, $12,000.

HOUSE.

In the committee of the whole the House gave further consideration to the army appropriation bill for the purpose of amendments.

Death of Prof. Langley.

S. P. Langley, secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, and known as a scientist throughout the world, died at Aiken, S. C., yesterday.

Professor Langley had a slight stroke of paralysis on November 22, which affected his right side. He was gradually recovering from this attack when, on the advice of his physician, he went South to escape the more rigorous months of February and March.

Professor Langley was 72 years old. His whole life had been devoted to scientific work. Several years ago Professor Langley conducted a series of experiments with a flying machine at Widewater, Va., on the Potomac river, the results of which were watched with widespread interest. The experiments, however, ended disastrously. Professor Langley has been the secretary of the Smithsonian Institution since 1887. He was a member of scientific societies and his published writings include more than 100 titles.

In Self Defense

Major Hanum, editor and manager of the Constitutionalist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked, four years ago, by Piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burns, Sores, Cuts and Wounds. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

FRESH EGGS, 18c DOZEN.

Large Prunes, 4 pounds for 25c; Dried Apples, 4 pounds for 25c; Codfish, 5c lb.; 5 pound Pail Pure Lard, 50c; 8 pounds Pure Virginia Buckwheat, 25c; 4 cans Sugar Corn, 25c; 4 cans Early June Peas, 25c; 2 cans Table Peaches, 25c.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON,
feb2 Royal and Wolfe streets.

Card of Thanks.

The committee on the fair of Perseverance Tent, No. 1098, I. O. R., take this method of extending their thanks to people of Alexandria for donations and liberal patronage which aided in making the recent fair a success.

J. B. HUGHES,
Chairman Fair Committee.

WANTED.

WANTED.—A YOUNG LADY as clerk. Apply to A. S. DONIPHAN, No. 727 King street. feb28 3t

Wanted at Once.

GOOD, TEMPERATE MEN, who can catch and load brick, to drive brick wagons; first-class teams; steady work to men who will drive right and will not abuse their teams; $1.25 for a day's work. NEW WASHINGTON BRICK COMPANY, Alexandria county, Va. dec28 3m

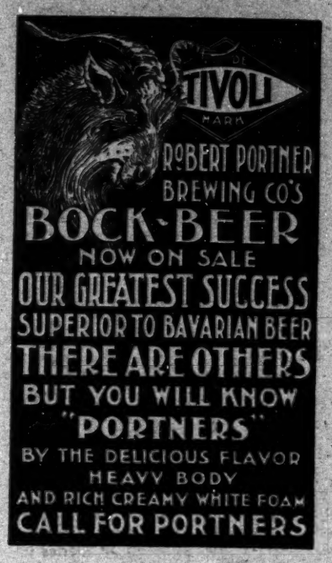
WANTED.—A FARMER and GARDENER; man with small family. Apply at Gazette office. feb6 eo tf

NOTICE.—MEMBERS OF OSCEOLA TRIBE, NO. 1, I. O. R. M.—You are hereby notified to assemble at your wigwam THURSDAY, March 1, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Capt. F. L. Dixon, sr. By order of JOHN ABENDSCHEIN,
CHAS. NAGEL, Sachem.
Chief of Records.

NOTICE.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of the ALEXANDRIA HOME FIRE INSURANCE CO. (Inc.) will meet in the hall of the Business Men's League, corner King and Washington streets, THURSDAY, March 1, 1906, at 7:30 p. m. By order of the President,
feb27 3t W. H. MAY.

CODFISH.—New Boneless and Shredded Codfish just received by
J. C. MILBURN.



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FAMILY ORDERS A SPECIALTY

LOST.

LOST—On the Twenty-second of February a GOLD MEDAL, presented by the Superintendent of Public Schools to James F. Bontz, of Washington school. The finder will receive a reward by leaving it at this office. feb28 3t

LOST OR STRAYED.—A fox terrier PUPPY, white with black and tan spots. The finder will please return the puppy to No. 513 south Washington street and receive liberal reward feb27 3t

LOST.—A child's gold NECKLACE with amethyst setting. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 711 Cameron street. feb26 3t*

LOST.—On February 22nd, either in Alexandria or on the ferry boat, a lady's hunting case GOLD WATCH, engraved "C. C." Reward if returned to C. CHAPMAN, room 407 Postoffice Department, Washington, D. C. feb23 1w*

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

Elliott's,
Cor. Pitt and King Sts

BIG SPECIAL.

A Venetian Steel Enameled Tea or Coffee Pot will be sold at 10c any day this week to each purchaser of $1.00 or over.

See display of Coffee and Tea Pots in the window nearest Pitt street.

ELLIOTT'S,
428-430 King Street.

AMUSEMENTS

OPERA HOUSE,
TONIGHT:
J. S. GARSIDE
BIG STOCK CO.
Presenting COUNT LEO TOLSTOI'S GREAT COMEDY-DRAMA,
"Resurrection."
4---BIG SPECIALTIES---4
PRESENTS GIVEN AWAY NIGHTLY.
SEE DEARBORN & SON'S WINDOW.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Exhibition of
Spring Fashions and Fabrics.

Silk and Dress Stuffs of the richest and most exclusive sorts, Parisian and American Millinery, French Lingerie, Bridal Trousseaux and Corsets, Splendid Dresses, Elegant Wraps, Daintiest of Imported Cloths for the Baby, Rare Laces, Exquisite Neck-fixings, Parasols, Gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs and other articles of luxurious adornment, Rich Drapery and Upholstery Materials, Curtains, Imported Table Napery, Vessels of Cut Crystal, China and Silver, wrought into every artistic form of vase, dish and ornament, Clocks, Bronzes, Marbles, Lamps, Books and myriad oddities suitable for Wedding, Anniversary and Easter Gifts.

Opening of Parisian and American Millinery.

Pattern Hats, Toques, Turbans, Millinery Novelties and Imported Neckwear.

Latest Paris Models from Georgette, Virot, Reboux, Rogers, Lewis and Mangin Maurice and a collection of American adaptations and original conceptions, including those particularly prepared for first-wear.

Also beautiful Flowers, Ostrich Feathers and Millinery Novelties in the widest variety; also latest effects in Imported Neckwear and Feather Boas.

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Special estimates will be furnished on request for fine Draperies and Wall Hangings, cut and made to your order.

Brocades, Velours, Gobelin Tapestries, Jutes, Damasks, French Cotton Tapestries, Armures, Etc., shown in a very wide range of styles and prices.

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A lot of All-silk Brocades,
In delicate shades of rose, pink, cream, rose DuBarry, etc.
$3.00 the yard. Value $5.00.

A lot of Muslin Curtains,
With dotted centers and full plain muslin ruffles; 3 yards long.
Special price, $1.00 a pair.

A lot of Rope Portieres,
In the very latest spring colorings and designs; especially desirable for single or double doorways.
$2.50, $3.75, $5.00 to $12.00 each.

A lot of English Cretonnes,
Suitable for slip covers, curtains, bed covers, covering box couches, etc.; our own importation; 31 inches wide.
35c, 40c, 50c to $1.00 a yard.
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NORFOLK OYSTERS on half shell.
CRAB MEAT.
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Both 'Phones. feb27 1w

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W. H. Lambert, Vice President. Carroll Pierce, Asst. Cashier.

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Only
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A CARD.

We desire to call your attention to a change in the management of our Laundry. Mr. W. F. Baker, having recently come in connection with the Franklin Laundry, of Washington, D. C., to take charge of our laundry, will completely reorganize the same with a view to giving our patrons a thoroughly up-to-date service. Our machinery is of the latest design, our material and labor of the best, and we feel assured that we can promise the best results at lower prices than our competitors. We thank you for past patronage and ask your further co-operation.

Alexandria Steam Laundry,
208 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET.
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Women's Spring Suits
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Of black and wide check mohair; Eton jacket, trimmed with silk braid; new circular skirt. Special..... $22.50

New Spring Suits
Of gray and white check Panama; Eton jacket, trimmed with stitched folds piped with satin; short sleeves finished with cuff; circular skirt trimmed with folds as on coat. Special..... $25.00

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Of figured gray Panama; Eton jacket, trimmed with bands of taffeta silk, short sleeve finished with turn-over cuff; plaited circular skirt. Special $32.50

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BELL 'PHONE, 211.

MEETINGS.

Alexandria, Va., Feb. 19, 1906.

THE UNDERSIGNED, holder of more than one-tenth of the capital stock of the VIRGINIA TITLE COMPANY, hereby calls a special meeting of the stockholders of said company to be held at No. 119 south Fairfax street (Harlow Building), Alexandria, Virginia, at 4:30 p. m., on TUESDAY, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1906. The object of this meeting is to consider and vote upon a proposition to dispose of the entire assets of the company and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
feb19 2w D. J. HOWELL.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the JULIUS LANSBURGH FURNITURE & CARPET COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, February 28, 1906, at 8:30 p. m., for the election of officers and any other business which may properly come before it. IRVIN H. HOLLANDER,
feb15 1aw3w Secretary and Treasurer.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the N. AUTH PROVISION CO., for the election of a board of directors and other business, will be held at the office of J. K. M. Norton, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, March 8, 1906, at 3 o'clock p. m. Transfer books will be closed ten days prior to this meeting.
N. AUTH, President.
GEO. W. FIROR, Secretary.
feb16 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA THEATRE COMPANY for the election of a board of directors for the year 1906 and any other business that may come before the meeting will be held at the company's office, 128 south Fairfax street, this city, on MONDAY, March 5, 1906, at 4 p. m.
feb17 td J. WHIT HERRON. Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the UNITED PUBLISHING COMPANY for the election of a board of directors for the year 1906 and any other business that may come before the meeting will be held at the company's office, 128 south Fairfax street, this city, on MONDAY, March 5, 1906, at 4 p. m.
jan17 td JOHN J. WALSH, Secretary.

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The rentor will be required to move the offal within 48 hours and none of it shall be thrown into the river.

Possession will be given on the 1st of March, 1906.

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The above has been postponed until SATURDAY, March 3, 1906, at the same time and place. feb27 td

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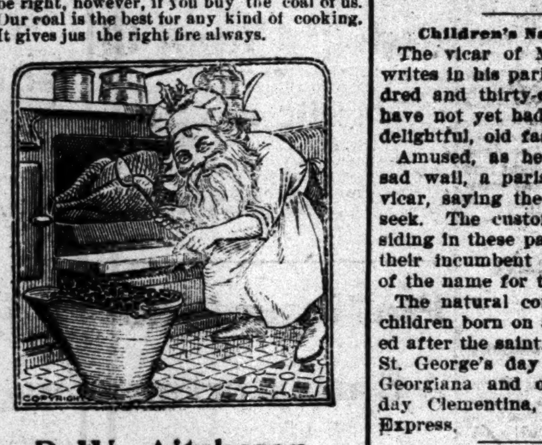

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Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 20 a. m., and 2 00, 9 30 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

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All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 28, 1906

Studying Nature.

The thing to aim at in studying the beauties of nature, as is the case with all artistic pleasures, is the perception of quality, of small effects. Many of the people who believe themselves to have an appreciation of natural scenery cannot appreciate it except on a sensational scale. They can derive a certain pleasure from wide prospects of startling beauty, rugged mountains, steep gorges, great falls of water—all the things that are supposed to be picturesque. But, though this is all very well as far as it goes, it is a very elementary kind of thing. The perception of which I speak is a perception which can be fed in the most familiar scene, in the shortest stroll, even in a momentary glance from a window. The things to look out for are little accidents of light and color, little effects of chance grouping, the transfiguration of some well known and even commonplace object, such as is produced by the sudden burst into greenness of the trees that peep over some suburban garden wall or by the sunlight falling by a happy accident on pool or flower.—Cornhill.

Why the Horse Heeds the Bugler.

An interesting report regarding the development of the musical sense in horses was made by a committee of German zoologists and botanists. The report says: "The investigations as to the musical sense of horses have shown that that sense is very poorly developed in these animals. It has been proved beyond doubt that horses have no notion whatever of keeping time to music, and that at circuses they do not dance according to the tune, but that the musicians have to keep time according to the steps of the animals.

"Other investigations show that horses do not understand military trumpet signals. It is only the rider or the animal's instinct of imitation which induces horses to make the moves required by the signal, but no horse without a rider, however carefully trained, takes the slightest notice of a trumpet signal, and the same observation has been made on a large number of cavalry horses without riders."

Science of Bell Ringing.

It was Sunday morning, and the bell ringer had just finished ringing the chimes that called the godly to church. "Bell ringing is a science. Did you know that?" he said. "It is called campanology, and there are abstruse and technical terms in it, like 'Kent treble bob,' 'Stedman cinques,' 'double court bob,' 'dodges,' 'nolls' and 'stingoes.' Each of these terms defines a certain phase or kind of bell ringing. In England there is a society, the Central Council of Bell Ringers, that every campanologist desires ardently to belong to. Maybe you think bell ringing is simple? Do you know what a peal is? A peal in ringers' parlance is a series of 5,000 changes rung upon a chime, no change occurring more than once."—New York Press.

Children's Names In England.

The vicar of Membury, Derbyshire, writes in his parish magazine, "A hundred and thirty-eight baptisms, and I have not yet had a 'Sarah Jane'—that delightful, old fashioned name!"

Amused, as he said, by the vicar's sad wail, a parishioner replies to the vicar, saying the reason is not far to seek. The custom of the parents residing in these parts is to consult with their incumbent regarding the choice of the name for the offspring.

The natural consequence is that all children born on a saint's day are called after the saint. Thus a girl born on St. George's day would be christened Georgiana and one on St. Clement's day Clementina, and so on.—London Express.

Eels In Scotland.

Although eels abound in Scotch waters and are caught in great quantities, they are not considered fit food there. No matter how plentiful and how very fine and large they may be in any district of Scotland, no native will eat one. The objection to the eel is said to be based on its serpent-like appearance and the fact that it is not overfastidious as to what it feeds on. Tons of choice eels for the London market are taken from streams that are not conspicuously free from sewage.

His First Intimation.

"How did you find out you could draw?" inquired the admirer of the celebrated illustrator.

"By the marks I received in school for the excellence and fidelity of my work," replied the eminent one. "My work was a caricature of my beloved teacher on the blackboard and the marks came from the teacher's cane." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Pessimist.

"Don't be too anxious to get a husband," said the wise matron. "Don't go around hunting for one."

"Think I should just sit down and wait for one, eh?" replied the maiden.

"Yes, for you'll sit up and wait for one often enough after you've got him."

Quite Natural.

Husband—What did you think when you heard the chandelier fall last night? Wife—Why, I thought you had been detained on business again and were getting upstairs as quietly as you could.

Looking Forward.

"Progress is becoming extremely rapid."

"Yes, indeed. In the year 3000 or so lightning will have to get a move on if it wants to be considered fast."

Lucky Patients.

"Did you ever make any mistakes, doctor?"

"Well, I've had several patients get well that I expected would die."

The End of The World

of troubles that robbed F. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Ia., of all usefulness, came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago Kidney trouble caused me great suffering, which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They also cured me of General Debility." Sure cure for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Blood diseases, Headache, Dizziness and Weakness or bodily decline. Price 50c. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

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St. Maurice.

St. Maurice, in Switzerland, is the name of a little station on the railway that leads up the Rhone valley from the lake of Geneva. The place gets its name as follows: Maurice was the officer second in command of the Thebaic legion, which the Emperor Maximian marched over the Alps in A. D. 302 to quell a rising in Gaul. At Octodurum (Martigny) the legion, every man of which was a Christian, was ordered to sacrifice to the Roman gods for the success of the expedition. Headed by Maurice, they refused, marched off to Agaunum (St. Maurice) and there were twice decimated to enforce submission. But they still refused, and finally the remainder were surrounded and cut down by the rest of the army.

Automatic Cooking Boxes.

Automatic cooking boxes were in general use among the Hebrews nearly 2,000 years ago. The Greek and Roman writers frequently refer to them. In his edition of "Juvenile," for example, Friedlander cites a commentator, who refers to "the Jews who a day before the Sabbath put their viands hot into the cooking boxes, the pots being covered with napkins and wrapped about with hay, so that they may have warm food on the Sabbath."

Always In Evidence.

"I notice," observed Tuffold Knutt, "that people don't pay no taxes on the costliest things they's got."

"How's that?" grunted Ruffon Wratz.

"Well, f'r instance, if you wuz wuth even a million you wouldn't have to pay nothin' on that peach of a nose you've got."—Chicago Tribune.

Interested.

Nell—Mrs. Closeleigh is getting up a fair to help a poor widow pay her rent. Belle—I didn't know Mrs. Closeleigh was so philanthropic. Nell—She isn't. She owns the house the poor widow lives in.—Philadelphia Record.

Similar Symptoms.

One—Are you certain that you love the girl? Tuther—Certain? Why, I can't sleep of nights for thinking about her. One—I get the same effect from my tailor's bills.—New Yorker.

The Way to Success.

Success in industrial business nowadays is as simple as a fairy tale. The young man must find out how to kill the dragon—the dragon of competition. —Saturday Evening Post.

"Facts are stubborn things" is an aphorism first used by La Sage in "Gil Blas." It has since become proverbial.

The Merit of Good Work.

The great thing is to produce nothing of which, if it comes into broad light, you will be ashamed, and then whether it does come into broad light or no need not much trouble you.—Matthew Arnold.

A Desperate Case.

Walk O. Nights—Doctor, what is a simple remedy for sleeplessness? Doctor—Let the person count till he falls asleep. Walk O. Nights—He can't count. It's the baby.

The honor we receive of those who fear and stand in awe of us is no true honor.—Montaigne.

Only an Episode.

Mary—Uncle Ned, what's a honeymoon? Bachelor Uncle—The time between the marriage and the divorce.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

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Nature needs only a Little Early Riser now and then to keep the bowels clean, the liver active, and the system free from bile, headaches, constipation. Early Riser Pills never gripe.

Startling But True.

People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort: "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia," W. D. WILCOX, Logan, New York, Sold by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, Department of the State Corporation Commission.

This is to certify, That the charter of THE MARINE RAILWAY, SHIPBUILDING & COAL CO. changed to THE MARINE RAILWAY & COAL COMPANY, INC., was amended on the 20th day of January, 1906, reducing its maximum capital stock from Three Hundred Thousand Dollars to Fifty Thousand Dollars; and that the said amended charter was recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth on the 20th day of January, 1906.

Witness my hand as Clerk of the State Corporation Commission this eighth day of February, 1906. JOHN A. UPSHUR,
feb13 w3w-m Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of Thomas Spinks, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to said estate to pay their indebtedness to me, and all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same to me properly certified for payment. FRANK C. SPINKS, JR.,
feb21 10t Administrator.

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 9th day of February, 1906.
David M. Newbold, jr., vs. Capital City Telephone Company, of Alexandria, Va., and Central Trust Company of Maryland, Trustee. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to subject all the property of the defendant company to the payment of its debts, wheresoever the same may be situated, and particularly to the payment of certain bonds issued by it and the interest thereon and secured by mortgage or trust executed by it to the Central Trust Company of Maryland, Trustee, said instrument bearing date on the 31st day of May, 1902, it being intended that this shall be a general creditor's suit, as well as to compel the payment of said bonds and interest held by the complainant and any others; also that a receiver may be appointed to take over all of the assets of the defendant company, and that it may be wound up, and its funds disposed of amongst its different creditors in accordance with their respective priorities.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, the Central Trust Company of Maryland, Trustee, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect its interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure and Norton & Boothe p. q.
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VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 13th day of February, 1906.
Ethel E. Chadwick vs. Ferdinand G. Chadwick } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Ferdinand G. Chadwick, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Carrington, Lipscomb and Ellison p. q.
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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of February, 1906.
Eva G. Devine vs. James Devine, } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of the above entitled cause is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant from the defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, James Devine, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE.
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
BY NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Norton & Boothe, p. q.
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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, on the 24th day of January, 1906.
Walker G. Miller vs. Clinton R. Miller } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the plaintiff, Walker G. Miller, from the defendant, Clinton R. Miller, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Clinton R. Miller, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

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5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:11 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm Limited. Solid Pullman train, electric lighted. Through sleepers to Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. Club and observation cars. Southern Railway dining car service.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa, Dining car service a la carte.

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Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m.

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In effect November 1, 1905

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Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 25, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

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For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20, 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25, 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15, 12 35, 1 00, 1 25, 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x, 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x, 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x, 6 30, 6 45x, 7 00, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 1 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32, 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40, 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m. 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

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